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TO SECSTATE WASHDC 9456

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E.O. 11652: GDS

TAGS: MASS, HO

SUBJECT: LETTER ON T-33 SALE

REF: STATE 050918

1. EMBASSY SUGGESTS THAT MUCH MORE SIMPLE AND APPROPRIATE WAY TO OBTAIN CLARIFYING INFORMATION ON RELATIONSHIPS AND ACTIONS OF US COMMERCIAL FIRMS WOULD BE TO CONTACT THOSE FIRMS DIRECTLY. ATTEMPT TO OBTAIN SUCH INFORMATION FROM GOH OFFICIALS, BESIDES MAKING US DEPENDENT ON THEIR VERSION, WOULD INDICATE THAT USG ITSELF IS NOT AWARE OF WHAT US COMMERCIAL FIRMS ARE DOING EVEN THOUGH LICENSING FOR F-86'S HAS GONE THROUGH USUAL PROCEDURES AND BEEN DENIED. DEPARTMENT SHOULD BEAR IN MIND THAT USG DENIAL OF APPROVAL OF THE PROPOSED F-86 DEAL IS A NEURALGIC POINT IN OUR CURRENT RELATIONS WITH THE GOH. A DIRECT APPROACH FOR THIS INFORMATION COULD EASILY BE INTERPRETED BY THE GOH AS A SIGN THAT THE USG IS RECONSIDERING ITS POSITION ON THE LICENSING OF THE AIRCRAFT. THEREFORE, UNLESS THAT IS SO, EMBASSY WOULD MUCH PREFER TO LIMIT ITS CURRENT DISCUSSIONS OF THIS SUBJECT WITH THE GOH TO THE VERY MINIMUM.

2. RE PARA 4 OF REFTTEL, EMBASSY CONVINCED THAT CENTRAL BANK INTENDS TO DECLARE CONTRACT NULL AND VOID IF F-86'S
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